Summary of Changes to Nursing Policy Manual – August 2009

Changes to the manual are indicated within the Sections in **Bold** text

<u>Section IV – Health Care Services</u>

- More detail of partner's sexual history
- Ct/GC may be done at the time of IUD insertion vs. prior to insertion
- Clarification of supply only visit (vs. revisit)
- Addition of requirement for testicular self exam education for males
- Clarification of fecal occult blood testing for women over 50 years (required) vs. men over 50 years (may be offered)

<u>Section IX – Pregnancy Testing and Counseling</u>

• Updated Request for Pregnancy Test form at the end of the policy

Section X – Adolescent Services

- Reminder that education about abstinence as an option is a requirement and must be documented
- Broadening concept of parental involvement to family involvement

Section XI – Risk Management/Quality Assurance

• Addition of outline of Medical Site Visit process